

FRIEDMANN TREATS FIFTY SUFFERERS

Hundred Others Stricken With
White Plague Turned Away
When Clinic Is Opened.

**Friedmann Is Heartened
By President's Welcome;
Wants Only Fair Chance**

"I was greatly heartened by the President's welcome. All I desire is a fair chance to show my remedy,"—DR. FRIEDMANN.

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multy was requested to do so, and he laughingly declared that in view of the precedent just set he would not think of starting the new page. Senator Hughes, of New Jersey, followed the same cue and put his signature under that of Secretary Tumulty.

The Duke of Connaught has a page for his signature.

From the White House, Dr. Friedmann hurried to his hotel for luncheon, and left immediately for George Washington University Hospital. His chat with the President was brief, the exchange of greetings being made through Secretary Tumulty. He was presented by Secretary Tumulty, in the secretary's room, the President stepping out for the greeting. Dr. Friedmann said he was called to pay his respects to the President in a few words of his work this afternoon. In reply the President said: "I hope your demonstration turns out in the most successful way."

Doctor Confident of Success.

Senator Hughes was then introduced, and held an extended chat with Dr. Friedmann, in which the Senator deplored unfavorable newspaper criticism of the cure. "If I prove, even to the most skeptical, that my cure is a good one, and will bring relief from this great plague, I will not mind if I am sure I shall succeed. If I do not, I shall be filled with sorrow."

George Washington University Hospital was besieged all morning by unfortunate applicants for treatment, many of whom dragged themselves through the chilling rain only to be told that they would have to come again later. Many others, who were represented by friends or used the telephone, were given a like message.

Though each applicant was told not to call until a little later, only three scores of them crowded the hallways of the dispensary before 1. In many respects they presented a pitiful sight. Young men and young women were in the majority, and they were evidently in the final stages of the disease. Several patients were brought from the tuberculosis hospital to receive an injection of the bacilli. Practically all of these cases were accepted. Those who assembled early looked upon one another with pity or with envy. It seemed that some of them resembled the pale case of others, for they all seemed to know that the greater number there were present the more disappointments there would be.

History of Cases Prepared.

As the applicants appeared they were ushered into the reception room of the dispensary adjoining the hospital, where, in an rapid order, a possible history of each case was prepared on a card by Dr. Van Sant. Several other physicians aided in this work.

The clinic is being held in the amphitheater of the hospital, a place in which it was discovered that the hospital authorities had been hoping to place a card by Dr. Van Sant. Several other physicians aided in this work.

Practically every physician and surgeon in the District, sufficiently interested to attend, was in the room, that will hold nearly four hundred. Many observers were crowded into the amphitheater.

Dr. Friedmann said it would be necessary to limit the number of those treated to fifty. Many of those called in the hope of treatment avowed their intention to hang on to the last, before entering the clinic. Dr. Friedmann made the statement that it might be well after dark before he was through. He also intimated that it was possible that he would not be able to treat more than a few.

Dr. Friedmann was given the assistance of the regular nurse corps, and was told that the clinic would have any help from those present that was necessary.

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Some of the Star Attractions At the Military Horse Show At Ft. Myer

MISS EMILY CHASE.

CAPT. WARREN DEAN, On Cosmocon.



CAPT. GUY HENRY On Chiswell.

in so far as it is possible, contain a complete historic record of the advance of the disease.

Beg for Life.

Many of those who came to the hospital this morning were pathetic in their appeals for treatment, and were loath to leave the hospital without some assurance. One young man declared to Dr. Vasant, who received him, that he was begging for life on a last long chance. No assurance could be given him.

During his brief stay in Washington, Dr. Friedmann will not visit the Hygienic Laboratory of the Public Health Service, where Surgeon General Blue, Assistant Surgeon General Rucker, and the other officials of the Public Health Service are located.

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Borden In Charge.

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UNDERWOOD IS ILL; CAUCUS CONTINUES

Agricultural Products Subject
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Will Pass Muster.

With the chairman of the Ways and Means Committee absent because of illness, the Democrats of the House resumed their tariff caucus at 1:30 o'clock this afternoon.

Schedule G, affecting agricultural products and containing a long free list, is the subject of the party council today, and, despite the opposition of Democrats from the agricultural sections of the Middle West the committee bill is expected to pass muster.

Congressman Underwood, whose eloquent plea of Saturday prevented the caucus from slapping the President in the face by free listing sugar, is not on hand this afternoon.

At the conference yesterday Dr. Friedmann will not visit the Hygienic Laboratory of the Public Health Service, where Surgeon General Blue, Assistant Surgeon General Rucker, and the other officials of the Public Health Service are located.

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HOUSE IS CAUGHT IN DELUGE OF BILLS

Journal Clerk Swamped With
Resolutions of Many Kinds
Dropped in Hopper.

The journal clerk of the House was again swamped today with resolutions and bills of every kind and description. Nearly 300 bills and resolutions, public and private, were dropped into the House hopper during the brief session of that body.

Among the more important ones are the following:

By Congressman Austin—a resolution to recognize the republic of China, and also a bill amending the banking law, and authorizing national bank associations to lend money on real estate.

By Congressman Sims—a resolution amending the House rules and prohibiting the appointment to any committee of a member selected by a secret party caucus.

By Congressman Dyer—a bill to appropriate \$250,000 to erect a monument to the soldiers of the Mississippi, another to appropriate \$50,000 to erect a monument to the soldiers of the Mississippi, and a bill to create a commission on salaries and allowances of postal employees, and a fourth bill requiring the Interstate Commerce Commission to hold examinations as to the fitness of roadmasters, foremen, and superintendents of construction on railroads.

The word applause shall not be inserted in any speech in the Congressional Record. He also introduced a bill appropriating \$200,000 to aid in the celebration of the one hundredth anniversary of the battle of New Orleans.

By Congressman Clegg—a bill prohibiting railroads from working any telegraph operator or signalman more than eight hours a day.

WEATHER REPORT.

The forecast for the District of Columbia—Unsettled and somewhat colder tonight. Tuesday probably fair, moderate north to west winds. Wednesday—Cloudy tonight, cooler in east and central portion tonight, moderate northeast to north winds.

The temperature today as registered at the United States Weather Bureau and Allegheny:

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RIDERS IN TRAINING FOR BIG FLAT RACE

Army Officers and Others Seek
to Reduce Flesh to Help
Chances at Fort Myer.

All the flesh-decreasing artifices used by military officers and gentlemen riders in the vicinity of Washington, who intend to take part in the unique flat race to be run in connection with the third annual military horse show, to be held at Fort Myer, April 27, 28 and 29.

It is the life of the jockey before the race, that those who intend to ride in the event are living. Turkish baths, dieting and weight-reducing exercises of all characters were indulged in by a score of riders, despite the rain yesterday.

The game, however, is deemed by the riders to be worth the candle, for the winner of this race will be considered to have the fastest saddle horse in this section of the country.

Manassasville, Md., is the favorite with an army horse, and are leaving no stone unturned to lessen the weight to be carried by their mounts in the event.

It is expected that many horsemen also will enter this race, and as some of the best horses in and about Washington are owned by women, keen rivalry exists between the feminine and masculine contingent of entries. Among the women riders who will probably participate in the event are Misses Buchanan, St. G. Greble, Miss Dasha Allen, Miss Jeannette Allen, Mrs. R. C. Burleson, and others.

BARGEMAN'S WIFE DROWNS ASSAILANT Alone on Boat, She Pushes Man Who Intrudes Over Rail Into River.

NEW YORK, April 14.—A slender little woman, Mrs. Etzel Clark, wife of the captain of a Standard Oil barge, is weeping in the Tombs today waiting for the coroner's inquest to free her from the charge of killing a hulking, six-foot man who assaulted her in the cabin of her floating home, while her husband was away.

Mrs. Clark told the magistrate yesterday how the intruder, John Dunn, broke into the barge and attacked her, and of their terrible battle.

The battle brought the two on deck, where in a final burst of desperate struggle the little woman drove Dunn overboard, where he fell over the rail and was drowned.

**Want Another Judge
For Fourth Circuit**

Senator Chilton's bill for an additional judge for the fourth circuit was ordered favorably reported today at a meeting of the Senate Judiciary Committee.

The circuit in question includes West Virginia, Virginia, Maryland and the Carolinas. Judge Goff of West Virginia has been judge of this circuit but he is now elected to the Senate.

The committee considered several other bills in a preliminary way. This was the first meeting of the committee this session.

**Mexican Train Robbed,
State Department Hears**

Reports to the State Department today tell of the robbery of a Mexican train bearing \$150,000 worth of bullion. The men concerned in the robbery have not been apprehended, but they are believed to be rebels.

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RED CROSS REPORTS ACTUAL OHIO LOSS

Nearly 500 Killed, 100,000
Homeless, and Property
Loss \$250,000,000.

The Ohio valley flood cost the country nearly 500 human lives, rendered 100,000 persons homeless, and caused property damage amounting to nearly \$250,000,000, according to figures compiled by the American Red Cross Society today.

Dayton, Columbus and Hamilton were the greatest sufferers. The loss of life at Dayton was 150; at Columbus, 83, and at Hamilton, 72.

Money and provisions in large quantities have been distributed through the Red Cross, the Ohio relief commission, and the citizens' committee.

A complete summary of the dead and homeless in the affected cities is:

City	Dead	Homeless
Dayton	150	25,000
Columbus	83	20,000
Hamilton	72	15,000
Massillon	2,500	2,500
Tiffin	20	2,500
Delaware	21	800
Chillicothe	17	1,150
Middletown	8	300
Franklin	7	1,150
Troy	6	1,150
Coshocton	5	1,150
Miamisburg	2,000	2,000
Portsmouth	2,500	2,500
Massillon	10,000	10,000
Portsmouth	1,500	1,500
Defiance	400	400
Malta	6	600
McConnellsville	750	750
Pomeroy	400	400
Scatter	8,000	8,000
Totals	451	100,335

BURNS JOINS HUNT FOR MISSING MAN

Tennessee Cotton Broker Is
Now Believed to Have Been
Victim of Footpads.

LONDON, April 14.—Scotland Yard detectives working on the disappearance of Joseph Wilburforce Martin, the Memphis cotton broker, today partly abandoned their search for a woman in the case, and went back to the first theory that Martin was murdered by footpads.

This belief was strengthened when the boy who found Martin's hat on the Thames embankment said that a gold chain was in it. His description of the chain fitted one Martin was known to have been a fact.

The boy said he lost the chain before he gave the hat to police. William J. Burns, the American detective who is in London, is assisting Scotland Yard.

**Pittsburgher Held
On Desertion Charge**

Accused of deserting his wife, Kathryn P. Smith, who lives in Pittsburgh, Hilary P. Smith, thirty-seven years old, a clerk in the Isthmian Canal Commission, living at the Plaza apartment house, was arrested today by Central Office Detectives Howlett and Pratt as a fugitive from justice.

According to a letter from the bureau of detectives, Pittsburgh, Smith is under indictment there for desertion and non-support. A detective is on his way to Washington with requisition papers.

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Filing by the State of Wisconsin of a suit against Secretary of Interior Lane, to test the State's interest in swamp and school lands within Indian reservations, was authorized today by Supreme Court of the United States.

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NEW YORK POLICE FIRE ON STRIKERS

One Woman Killed, Officer
Wounded, and Three Others
Shot During Clash.

NEW YORK, April 14.—One Italian workman was killed, James C. Cody, a special policeman, was seriously wounded, and at least three other laborers are believed to have been shot in a riot between 400 strikers on the Boston Post road work and police and special deputies at Mamaroneck, a suburb of New York today.

The strikers led toward Rye after the fight and, although the body of the Italian was the only one found, it is believed they carried three or four wounded away with them.

Special Officer Cody was shot in the head and stabbed. After he fell he was set upon and was rescued only after a sharp fight.

Four thousand laborers employed on the road work have been on strike since last Thursday. The fight today followed an attempt of the police to prevent a demonstration which was planned against the importation of strike-breakers.

When the strikers sought to parade through the streets they were ordered to turn back. Ten of the police were armed with shot guns. They fired a volley over the heads of the strikers, and a general engagement immediately followed.

Pugh Leaves Servant More Than Relatives

NORRISTOWN, Pa., April 14.—By the will of Charles E. Pugh, former first vice president of the Pennsylvania railroad, probated today, the bulk of his estate, valued at \$1,000,000, goes to his wife and three daughters.

John Cunne, an old servant, was bequeathed \$1,500, while six nephews and nieces got but \$1,000 each. Another servant will receive the income from \$5,000 for life.

**ARE THESE FIVE
ALL ACCIDENTS**

A. M. Kendall, shoe dealer of Colorado City, Colo., seventy years of age, was in what appeared to be the final clutches of Bright's Disease. The treatment was changed in three months he wrote that he considered himself well.

He has a neighbor, a grocer, J. J. Abensham, sixty-eight years of age, who had Bright's Disease. "The best doctors he could get told him there was no hope for him and advised him to settle up his accounts." Kendall told him about his own case and Abensham recovered. In giving him these facts Kendall closes: "There are three others here who have been cured since I was."

One of the above recoveries might have been an accident, but how about all five? These people are not in league with Fulton's Renal Compound and the curability of Bright's Disease is a fact if one-third of the letters we have received are true.

With failure admitted by the books under the old treatment in chronic Bright's Disease and with reports like the above from many patients on this treatment how can any one be undecided. If you have Bright's Disease you owe it to yourself and family to try Fulton's Renal Compound before giving up. You can get it at James O'Donnell, Detroit, Mich., or at any drug store. For pamphlet on our investigation into the curability of Bright's Disease write John J. Fulton Co., San Francisco.—Adv.

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